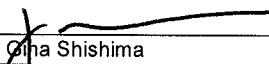


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Applicants submit this paper in response to the final Office Action dated June 19, 2007 (the "Action"), for which the date for response is December 19, 2007. Consideration of this case in view of this response is requested. Applicants submit herewith a request for extension of time. The fees for a two month extension of time were paid on November 19, 2007. The fees in the amount of \$590.00 for the third month request for extension of time in connection with the filing of this paper are being charged to a credit card through EFS-Web concurrently with this submission. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any underpayment of fees or any

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